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Responsive to the Office Action, Paper No. 8, dated September 18, 2004, please  
amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

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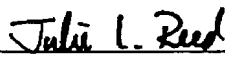
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